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The Busy Bees.

The honey crop of the United States for 1918 having been estimated by the Department of Agriculture at about 250,000,000 pounds. The American Botanist estimates that as the nectar of flowers does not become honey until worked over and partly evaporated, the bees must move as much as 150,000 tons of material to produce this crop, exclusive of the honey eaten by themselves. Of course this product, about one-half is from the nectar of white clover, with two other leguminous plants—alfalfa and sweet clover—as the next important sources.—Newark News.

For Croup.

"Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is splendid for croup," writes Mrs. Edward Hassett, Frankfort, N. Y. "My children have been quickly relieved of attacks of this dreadful complaint by its use." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult. Adv.

Peace Party Named.

The representatives of the United States at the peace conference will be:

President Wilson.
Robert Lansing, Secretary of State.
Henry White, former ambassador to France and Italy.
E. M. House.
Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, United States Army.

Stomach Trouble.

"Before I used Chamberlain's Tablets I doctored a great deal for stomach trouble and felt nervous and tired all the time. These tablets helped me from the first, and inside of a week's time I had improved in every way," writes Mrs. L. A. Drinkard, Jefferson City, Mo. Adv.

Car Backs Over Embankment.

Saturday night George Nasser's delivery truck backed off into the ravine back of his home and was badly damaged. Mr. Nasser's nephew had cranked the car, put on the reverse and then—bloop. The young man jumped in time to save himself from taking the plunge with the car.

Too Much "Flu" to Hold Court.

Judge John A. Rich of Slater, convened the December term of Lafayette county criminal court Monday morning. In the afternoon after conferring with the members of the bar on the "flu" situation, adjourned court until the regular April term, 1919.

Judge Cole Retires to Private Life.

W. P. Cole, who was re-elected justice of the peace at the November election has resigned the office. The county court Monday appointed Clyde Wright to fill the vacancy.

Few Escape.

There are few indeed who escape having at least one cold during the winter months, and they are fortunate who have but one and get through with it quickly and without any serious consequences. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and observe the directions with each bottle, and you are likely to be one of the fortunate ones. The worth and merit of this remedy has been fully proven. There are many families who have always used it for years when troubled with a cough or cold, and with the very best results. Adv.

Whale Milk.

An official of the State Agricultural Department of Oregon recommends the cultivation of the whale for milking purposes. Enough whales could be raised right in Puget Sound, he says, to supply the United States with all the milk she needs. The female whale is a generous creature and gives a barrel of the lactical fluid at one milking.—Thrill Magazine.

Mrs. Isley's Letter.

In a recent letter Mrs. D. W. Isley of Litchfield, Ill., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Tablets for disorders of the stomach and as a laxative, and have found them a quick and sure relief." If you are troubled with indigestion or constipation these tablets will do you good." Adv.

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The contribution made by the producers of this country to the war program as applying particularly to animal food products is illustrated by the following:

Reports compiled by the U. S. Department of Agriculture indicate an increase in cattle of 10,238,000 head and 12,441,000 hogs. These figures were compiled to January 1 last.

In this period there was a decrease in sheep of 819,000 head. The indications are that this decrease will show an increase, according to recent reports.

Since January 1 unofficial information indicates an increase in hogs of not less than 8 per cent, and not more than 15 per cent, as compared with one year ago, with an increase in the average weight.

Following the request of the U. S. Food Administration for an increase in hog production for marketing in the fall of 1918 and the spring of 1919 the increase may yield not less than 1,000,000,000 pounds more of pork products than were available last year. Without this increase the shipping program arranged by Mr. Hoover regarding animal food products would have been impossible.

The dressed hog products during the three months ending September 30, 1917, amounted to 903,172,000 pounds, while for the corresponding months of 1918 the dressed hog products totaled 1,277,589,000, an increase of over 374,000,000 pounds for the quarter.

During the same period for 1917 the records of inspected slaughter of dressed beef showed 1,203,000,000 pounds as against 1,454,000,000 pounds for the three month period ending September 1, this year.

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America's Pledge of Food
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In Their Darkest Hour

Whatever is necessary America will send. That was America's pledge to the interallied food council. And because the American food army had hitherto made good they took heart and went forward.

Farm enterprise and much soft corn increased pork supplies, food conservation increased exports—total shipments doubled.

FAITH JUSTIFIED
BY EVENTS.

I do not believe that drastic force need be applied to maintain economic distribution and sane use of supplies by the great majority of American people, and I have learned a deep and abiding faith in the intelligence of the average American business man, whose aid we anticipate and depend on to remedy the evils developed by the war.—Herbert Hoover, August 10, 1917.

Patriot's Plenty

Buy less—Serve less
Eat only 3 meals a day
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In-Memory of Leonard G. Ryland

The subject of this sketch was the son of Rev. Xenophon Ryland and Mrs. Carrie Ford Ryland, born at Lexington, Missouri, June 23, 1873. He was educated in part at the Wentworth Military Academy of Lexington, where he was given a medal for proficiency in drill. At Westminster College of Fulton, Mo., he won the oratorical contest, subject "Singleness of Purpose," and was a graduate of the Law Department of the University of Missouri at Columbia. He commenced the practice of law at the home of his birth, was a claim agent of the Missouri Pacific System, stationed at Little Rock, Arkansas, in 1901. Soon after this he went west, where he was united in marriage to Miss Kathryn Hundley of California at Salt Lake City on the 22nd of November, 1906. Shortly after he located at Rexburg, Idaho, where he was engaged in his profession at the time of his death, November 1, 1918. He was U. S. Commissioner for a number of years and was nominated for Probate Judge on the Democratic ticket, 1918, and died just four days before the election. He was a member of the Modern Woodman of the World, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and of the Elks at Rexburg, and highly esteemed by his fellow citizens. Leonard was of a kindly, generous nature and made hosts of friends all along the way of life. He joined the Presbyterian church when quite young, a child of the Covenant. His wife Kathryn, his father, five sisters and one brother survive him. He was permitted in last April to visit his father, and family and old friends, when life seemed so joyous and hopeful for the future. Beautiful tributes of flowers from his friends and brethren at Rexburg and Lexington covered his grave at Lexington. A short service at the home of Judge Ryland in Higginsville was conducted by Rev. Mr. Harris and Rev. Farris of Sedalia, and at the grave in Lexington by Rev. R. L. Cowan and Dr. E. C. Gordon of St. Louis, who was his former pastor. Four young men of the Elks of Lexington rendered a beautiful song service at his grave. They were friends of his youth. At the service held in Rexburg in the lovely home, called by everybody the "Little Doll-house," which he had built for his wife, the Presbyterian minister paid the following tribute to his memory: "I shall recite this poem as expressive of the well known sentiments of the community in regard to L. G. Ryland—His hosts of friends recognize its appropriateness:"

ABOU BEN ADHEM

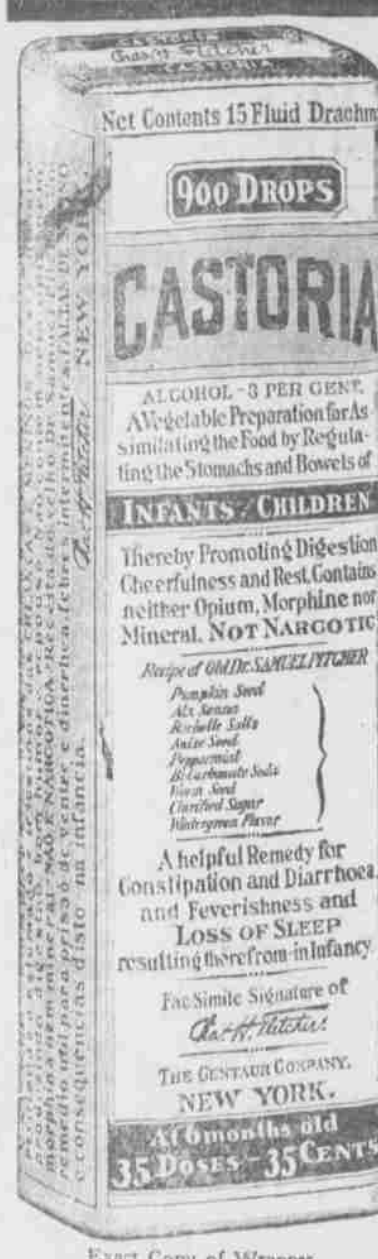
Abou Ben Adhem (may his tribe increase)
Awoke one night from a deep dream of peace:
And saw, within the moonlight in his room,
Making it rich, and like a lily in bloom,
An angel, writing in a book of gold:
Exceeding peace had made Ben Adhem bold,
And to the presence in the room he said,
"What writest thou?" The vision raised
its head,
And, with a look made of all sweet accord,
Answered, "The names of those who love the Lord."

"And is mine one?" Said Abou. "Nay, not so,"
Replied the angel. Abou spoke more low,
But cheerily still, and said, "I pray thee,
then,
Write me as one that loves his fellow-men."
The Angel wrote and vanished. The next night
It came again with a great awakening light,
And showed the names whom love of God had blest
And lo! Ben Adhem's name led all the rest.
—Leish Hunt.

It was a pleasure to know that his deskmate at Wentworth Military Academy and a fellow student of Westminster were among his pallbearers. To the friends, one and all, at Rexburg, Higginsville and Lexington, for more than kindness shown, is due the heartfelt thanks and gratitude of the family and especially of Kathryn and Xenophon Ryland.

A Distinction of the Kaiser.

The former Kaiser will also go down in history as the man who was hanged in effigy in



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